and livestock. The Government of Himachal Pradesh have not informed this Ministry of the damage.

The State Governments are required to undertake rescue, relief and restoration of immediate nature in wake of natural disasters out of the corpus of Calamity Relief Fund (CRF), which is contributed by the Government of India in the ratio of 3:1. When the calamity is of a severe nature and the CRF is not sufficient, the Central Government gives assistance to the States out of the National Calamity Contingency Fund (NCCF), after following the established procedure. An amount of Rs. 86.56 crore has been allocated in the CRF of Jammu & Kashmir and Rs. 100.69 crore for Himachal Pradesh for the year 2005-06.

Providing Visas to Tourists at airports

†4400. SHRI R.S. GAVAI: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a)whether Government are considering to provide visas to tourists at any airport of the country after their arrival with a view to boost tourism;

(b)if so, the details thereof; and

(c)if not, the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI SRIPRAKASH JAISWAL): (a) and (b) Yes, Sir. The recommendation of Group of Ministers on Tourism, Industry and Trade regarding introduction of Visa-on-Arrival scheme for nationals of 16 identified countries on experimental basis at Delhi and Mumbai international airports is under consideration of the Government.

(c) Question does not arise.

Dual citizenship

4401. SHRIMATI BIMBA RAIKAR: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government have decided to confer unqualified 'dual citizenship' to all people of Indian origin settled abroad;

† Original notice of the question was received in Hindi.